



## Installing Firmware on the Freestyle Pro with the SmartSet Engine (KB900)\*

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Your Freestyle Pro was built with the latest version of SmartSet firmware as of its build date, but Kinesis may release newer versions of firmware to improve performance.

Download Firmware Files:

<https://kinesis-ergo.com/support/freestyle-pro/#firmware-updates>

To determine which version of firmware is currently installed on your keyboard, simply run a Status Report (SmartSet + F7).

### To update the firmware, perform the following steps:

1. Download the desired version of Freestyle Pro firmware (".upd" file). *Note: Files obtained directly from Kinesis.com will typically need to be unzipped/extracted first to access the ".upd" files.*
2. Open the keyboard's v-Drive with the shortcut SmartSet + "F8"
3. Navigate to the "FS PRO" removable drive on your PC and copy the firmware file to the "firmware" subfolder of the v-Drive. *Note: Many operating systems will report some type of file transfer error which can be safely ignored.*
4. Rename the firmware file "update.upd"
5. Eject the "FS PRO" drive from your PC as you would any flash drive, and then close the v-Drive with the shortcut SmartSet + F8"
6. Install firmware with the shortcut SmartSet + Shift+ U (Indicator LEDs will flash blue four times.) *Note: Installation will take up 30 seconds so do not unplug the keyboard or type on it during this time).*
7. To confirm the update was successful, simply run a Status Report (SmartSet + F7) and compare version numbers